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AT the Court at St. *James's*, the 30th Day of *April* 1751.

PRESENT,

The King's moſt Excellent Majeſty in Council.

THIS Day the Right Honourable Simon Earl of Harcourt, was, by his Majeſty's Command, ſworn of his Majeſty's moſt Honourable Privy Council, and took his Place at the Board accordingly.

His Majeſty having been pleaſed to appoint the Right Honourable Charles Earl of Egremont, to be Lord Lieutenant of the County of Cumberland; his Lordſhip this Day took the Oaths appointed to be taken thereupon, inſtead of the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy.

Turin, April 21. The King has lately made a Reform of five Men in each Company of the Troops of this Kingdom, which makes a Saving of near 200,000 Livres a Year. The Dutcheſs of Savoy advances happily in her Pregnancy, and 'tis generally believed will be brought to Bed towards the latter End of next Month or the Beginning of June.

Stockholm, April 27. The Body of the late King, which has lain in State in one of the Halls of the Palace ever ſince the 12th Inſtant, was carried Yeſterday in great Funeral Pomp to the Church of Ritterholm, followed by his preſent Majeſty, the Senators, and many other Perſons of the firſt Diſtinction, and was depoſited in a Vault belonging to the ſaid Church, where it is to remain till after the Meeting of the States of the Kingdom, after which the Ceremony of its Interment will be performed with the greateſt Solemnity. We wait here with the utmoſt Impatience the Return of the Courier that was diſpatched to Peterſbourg with an Account of the Death of the late King, and his preſent Majeſty's Declaration, which we doubt not will be favourably received at that Court, and that the Anſwer thereto will be perfectly agreeable to the ſincere Deſire of his Majeſty to maintain a good Underſtanding and Friendſhip with the Empreſs of Ruſſia, agreeable to the Aſſurances his Majeſty gave upon his Advancement to the Throne of this Kingdom.

Vienna, April 28. The Departure of the Court for Preſbourg is fixed for the 4th of next Month. The Empreſs Queen has conferred the Government of Tranſylvania, which has been vacant for ſome Time, on Field Marſhal Count Hohenembs. A Propoſal has been made to her Imperial Majeſty for eſtabliſhing a National Regiment in each of her Hereditary Provinces, which Regiment is to be always quartered in the Province which raiſes and ſupports it, except in Time of War, when they are all to be obliged to take the Field in Conjunction with the other Troops. This Propoſal it is ſaid has been already approved, and Orders given for carrying it into Execution. On Monday laſt the Emperor, accompanied by the Princeſs Charlotte of Lorrain his Siſter, and ſome of the principal Lords and Ladies of the Court, went to take the Diverſion of hunting in the Neighbourhood of Wolkerſtorff. The Indulto lately granted by the Pope for raiſing Ten per Cent. upon the Revenues of the Clergy in all the Hereditary Countries will conſiderably augment the Finances. Count Colloredo, who arrived here a few Days ago from Italy, has already been admitted to ſeveral private Audiences of their Imperial Majeſties, in which he has communicated to them the Succeſs of his Negociations at the Court of Turin, and the Sentiments of his Sardinian Majeſty upon the preſent Situation of Affairs. The Baron de Neuhauſs, Miniſter from the Elector of Bavaria, is on his Departure for Munich, where, on his Arrival, he is to eſpouſe the Counteſs de Solms, one of the Electreſs of Bavaria's Ladies of Honour.

Copenhagen, May 1. On the 24th paſt the King, accompanied by ſeveral Lords of the Court, went to the New Holm, and viewed the Ships which are there on the Stocks. Orders are given for building a large Hoſpital for Invalid Soldiers. On Wedneſday laſt their Majeſties dined at the Queen-Mother's with the Princeſs Charlotte Amelia, and afterwards ſet out for Fredensſbourg, where they propoſe ſpending Part of the fine Seaſon, and the Queen-Mother ſet out Yeſterday for Hirſcholm.

Berlin, May 4. Laſt Saturday Morning the King, accompanied by Prince Ferdinand of Brunſwick, and attended by ſeveral General Officers, and other Perſons of Diſtinction, went from Potzdam to a Plain adjoining to the Village of Templow, and reviewed the Regiment of Gendarmes, and that of Huſſars of Ziethen, with whoſe Appearance and Behaviour he ſeemed very well pleaſed; after which his Majeſty came hither, and dined at the Palace of the Queen-Mother with all the Princes and Princeſſes of the Royal Family, and early the next Morning ſet out for Potzdam. The General Review of the Troops is appointed for the 21ſt Inſtant, after which 'tis ſaid the King propoſes ſetting out on a Journey to Ooſtfrize.

Paris,

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Paris, May 8. His moſt Chriſtian Majeſty removes To-day from Verſailles to Marly, and will be followed To-morrow by the Queen, and the reſt of the Royal Family, to remain there till the 25th. On the Return of the Court to Verſailles, they will ſoon after go to Creſſy, and from thence, in a few Days, to Compeigne. Cardinal Tencin has deſired Leave to retreat to his Archbiſhoprick at Lyons, which his Majeſty has conſented to, and he will ſet out accordingly ſome Day next Month.

Cologn, May 9. We hear from Leipſick, that the King and Queen of Poland, accompanied by the Prince Royal and the Princeſs his Spouſe, arrived there from Dreſden on the 2d Inſtant, and propoſe ſtaying during the whole Time of the Fair.

Hague, May 11. The States of Holland and Weſtfrizeland are to aſſemble To-morrow, for which Purpoſe moſt of the Members are already arrived here. This Morning their Serene and Royal Highneſſes the Prince and Princeſs of Orange, with the Hereditary Prince and Princeſs Caroline, accompanied by ſeveral General Officers, went to review the Burgeſſes of this Place, who were all drawn out in Arms for that Purpoſe; and having ſeen them perform their Exerciſes, they pertook of a cold Collation which was purpoſely prepared for them in a Tent, and at Night ſupped with the Officers of the Burgeſſes. We learn from Amſterdam, that the Directors of the Eaſt India Company have received Advice, that the Baron d'Imhoff, Governor General of the Dutch Settlements in the Eaſt Indies, died at Batavia on the 1ſt of November laſt, and was ſucceeded by M. Moſſel, firſt Counſellor and Director General of the Company's Affairs in that Country; and that M. Golonoſſe, who had been named Governor of Ceylon, ſucceeded M. Moſſel.

Whitehall, May 4.

The King has been pleaſed to conſtitute and appoint the Right Honourable George William Earl of Coventry, to be Lord Lieutenant and Cuſtos Rotulorum of and in the County of Worceſter, City of Worceſter, and County of the ſame.

Admiralty-Office, May 3, 1751.

His Majeſty having been graciouſly pleaſed, by his Warrant under his Royal Sign Manual, dated the 10th *of June,* 1733, *to eſtabliſh certain Rules and Orders for the Relief of Poor Widows of Commiſſion and Warrant Officers of the Royal Navy: Theſe are to give Notice, that Copies of the ſaid Rules and Orders are lodged with the Commiſſioners of his Majeſty's Navy at Chatham, Portſmouth, and Plymouth; as alſo with the Clerks of the Checque at Deptford, Woollwich, and Sheerneſs; and with the Naval Officers at Harwich, Deal, and Kinſale; where all ſuch Widows as intend to lay in their Claims, may be informed of all Particulars which entitle them to the Benefit of the ſaid Charity, and receive the proper Certificates for that Purpoſe. But ſuch Widows as live at too great a Diſtance from the Places above-mentioned, may apply by Letter to Mr. Thomas Riley Blanckley, at the Admiralty Office, who will ſend them all neceſſary Information. And the Governors of the ſaid Charity intending to diſtribute to the Widows of Sea Officers who died before the* 30th *of Auguſt* 1732, *as well as to the Widows of thoſe who died ſince that Time, whoſe Circumſtances come within the Rules of the Eſtabliſhment, ſuch Sums as the Funds of the ſaid Charity ſhall produce for one Year ending the* 31ſt *of this Month, as ſoon as the Pay-books can be made up, and the Money ſhall be iſſued into the Paymaſter's Hands for that Purpoſe; This is to give Notice, that any Widows who have not yet applied, and intend to lay in their Claims, may do ſo as ſoon as poſſible; and that all ſuch Widows whoſe Claims have been already allowed, may ſend or bring to this Office, by the* 31ſt *of this Month, the Affidavits required by the Rules, in order to their being continued upon the Penſion or Bounty.*

Tower of London, April 26, 1751.

The Lieutenant General and Principal Officers of his Majeſty's Ordnance give Notice, that they will ſell by publick Auction, on Tueſday the 21ſt *of May next, ſundry Lotts of Parchment, Paper and Cotton Cartridges, Tann'd Hides, Handſcrews, Drums, Shovels, Spades, Leather Coats for Firemen, Woolpacks, Tents, Match, Tarr'd Rope, Breechings, Tacklefalls, and other old and unſerviceable Stores lying in the Tower, where they may be viewed till the Time of Sale; and printed Liſts of the Lotts will be delivered to ſuch Perſons as apply for the ſame.* By Order of the Board,

Charles Buſh.

April 19, 1751.

General Poſt Office.

Whereas the Poſt-Boy bringing the Cirenceſter Mail to this Office, was Yeſterday Morning, between Two and Three of the Clock, on Gerrard's Croſs Common, between Wickham and Uxbridge, attacked and robbed by a ſingle Highwayman, mounted on a Bay Mare, who carried off the ſaid Mail, which contained the following Bags of Letters, viz.

Briſtol,	Worceſter,
Exeter,	Birmingham,
Tiverton,	Wolverhampton,
Taunton,	Woodſtock,
Wellington,	Bath,
Bridgewater,	Cirenceſter,
Wells,	Glouceſter,
Oxford,	Thame,
Burford,	Wickham,
Witney,	Beconsfield,
Chipping-norton,	Gerrard's Croſs,
Campden,	Abingdon, *and*
Eveſham,	Farringdon.

The Perſon who committed this Robbery, was a tall luſty black Man, about Six Feet high, between Forty and Fifty Years of Age, marked with the Small Pox, and had on a blue Surtout or Horſeman's Coat, and under it a dark coloured one, with white Metal Buttons, and wore a black or dark coloured Wig, and rode upon a large Brown Bay Horſe or Mare, Fifteen Hands high, with a bald Face, and a dark black Mane, the Tail lately docked and nicked, the Wounds not healed.

This therefore is to give Notice, That whoever ſhall apprehend and convict, or cauſe to be apprehended and convicted, the Perſon who committed this Robbery, will be intitled to a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, *over and above the Reward given by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen: Or if any Perſon or Perſons, whether Accomplice in the ſaid Robbery, or knowing thereof, ſhall make Diſcovery, whereby the Perſon, who committed the ſame, may be apprehended and brought to Juſtice, ſuch Diſcoverer or Diſcoverers will, upon Conviction of the Party, be intitled to the ſame Reward of* Two Hundred Pounds, *and alſo have His Majeſty's moſt gracious Pardon.*

By Command of the Poſt-Maſter-General,

George Shelvocke, *Secretary.*

This is to give Notice, That the next General Meeting of the Corporation of the Governors and Guardians of the Hospital for the Maintenance and Education of Exposed and Deserted young Children, appointed by his Majesty's Royal Charter, will be held on Wednesday the 8th of May 1751, being the second Wednesday in May, and the Annual General Meeting of the said Corporation, for electing, by Ballot, a President, Six Vice-Presidents, a Treasurer, the General Committee, and a Secretary, for the Year ensuing, at the said Hospital in Lamb's Conduit Fields, at Twelve at Noon; when all the Governors and Guardians are desired to be present: Of which Meeting this Notice is given, pursuant to the Directions of the Act of Parliament.

Harman Verelst, *Secretary.*

A General Meeting of the Trustees for Repairing and Amending the Turnpike Roads in the Counties of Surry and Sussex is appointed to be held at the Fox and Hounds Inn in Croydon, on Saturday the 18th Day of May, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, to chuse Trustees in the Place of such as are dead, removed, or refuse to act; and to appoint Toll-Collectors, and other Affairs relating to the Trust. Ste. Gourney, *Clerk.*

Bristol, April 12, 1751.

This is to give Notice to the Officers and Seamen belonging to the Tyger Privateer, James Seix, Commander, and Tygress Privateer, James Connor, Commander, on their first Cruize, that the Balance due to them for the Taking of the Ships Felicity, Pegonia, Elvenzedor and Union, will be paid them on Friday the 10th of May next, at Nine of the Clock in the Morning, at the Three Mariners on the Newback, or on the first Friday of every Month after.

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